

### Leading Causes of Injury Related Death by Sex, Rhode Island, 1999-2003

|   | Male                             | Female                           |
|---|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 | Suicide<br>333                   | Falls<br>240                     |
| 2 | Motor Vehicle<br>Traffic<br>303  | Motor Vehicle<br>Traffic<br>140  |
| 3 | Undetermined<br>Poisoning<br>267 | Undetermined<br>Poisoning<br>126 |
| 4 | Falls<br>202                     | Suicide<br>92                    |
| 5 | Homicide<br>144                  | Suffocation<br>52                |

Data source: Rhode Island Vital Statistics Data, 1999-2003; Rhode Island Department of Health, Office of Vital Statistics / Center for Health Data and Analysis

### Leading Causes of Injury Related Hospitalization by Sex, Rhode Island, 1999-2003

|   | Male                              | Female                            |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|   | Total                             | Total                             |
| 1 | Falls<br>4,189                    | Falls<br>7,444                    |
| 2 | Motor Vehicle<br>Traffic<br>1,876 | Self-harm<br>1,721                |
| 3 | Self-harm<br>1,267                | Motor Vehicle<br>Traffic<br>1,256 |
| 4 | Assault<br>956                    | Environmental<br>339              |
| 5 | Struck by<br>606                  | Unintentional<br>Poisoning<br>324 |

Data source: Rhode Island Hospital Discharge Data, 1999-2003; Rhode Island Department of Health, Center for Health Data and Analysis